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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116(a)

In response to the Final Office Action dated 5/12/2004, the Applicant has timely enclosed herein: 7 pages of amendments and remarks. The Examiner is kindly asked to enter the following amendments and remarks to the application in accordance with the provisions of Rule 116(a).

· Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the corresponding section, which begins on page 2 of this paper, and include a complete claim listing (less the cancelled claims).

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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